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TITLE OF INVENTION
NOVEL HUMAN CANCER ANTIGEN NY ESO-1/CAG-3
AND GENE ENCODING SAME
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A copy of these papers from the file of this application is attached.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application of any patent issuing thereon.

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Sir:

In response to the Communication mailed 16 May 2000 (a copy of which is enclosed) and in compliance with the requirements under 35 U.S.C. 371, Applicants submit the enclosed executed Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney. A check for \$130.00 covering the surcharge fee is also enclosed.

Also enclosed are executed Change of Correspondence Address and Associate Power of Attorney.

The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required by this Response, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No.

13-4500, Order No. 2026-4269US1. A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ATTACHED.

Respectfully submitted,

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